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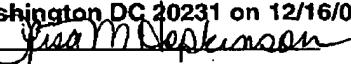
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For: MOVING AN OBJECT ON A DRAG PLANE)
IN A VIRTUAL THREE-DIMENSIONAL SPACE)

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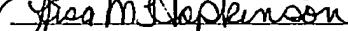
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Examiner:

Applicants respectfully request entry of this preliminary amendment in the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) filed herewith. Applicants additionally request consideration of the remarks presented herein.